

GROUNDHOG FOR ZOO COMES PARCEL POST

A parcel post package containing one of the strangest shipments ever handled by local postal authorities arrived at the Memphis postoffice early Saturday for delivery to the Memphis zoo, in Overton park. The package contained a well-developed and handsome specimen of the groundhog variety, which started the guardian of the parcel post into wakefulness by emitting a piercing shriek, a peculiar custom of an animal of this kind when disturbed, apparently resenting the treatment required at the hands of Uncle Sam's employees.

Recovering from the first shock of realizing that a "ferocious" monster was in their midst, clerks and carriers gathered around the cage of the animal and in an attempt to pacify it by producing tempting bits of edibles designed to delight the heart as well as stomach of "the hogship." It was not long before the animal was fully repaid for all inconveniences and emitting divers and sundry grunts expressing supreme satisfaction at such royal treatment accorded him by postoffice officials.

NEW YORK'S FLAGS AT HALF-MAST FOR PERKINS

NEW YORK, June 21.—Flags were at half-mast throughout the city yesterday during the funeral services of Geo. W. Perkins, philanthropist and financier, who died Friday. Other marks of tribute included the stopping of engines on every Hudson river day line steamship, commemorating the late financier's aid in beautifying the Hudson. Among the close personal friends who attended the services, which were held in the Presbyterian church of outer-dale, a suburb, were Cyrus McCormick, of Chicago; former Senator Albert J. Beveridge, of Indiana; and Senator Frank B. Kellogg, of Minnesota. Interment was made at Woodlawn cemetery.

PLAYED 'EM RIGHT, BUT HE IS HELD TO ANSWER

NEW YORK, June 21. (By International News Service.)—When Frank LeRoy, 17, a newsboy, was arraigned before Magistrate Silbermann charged with horse betting, he said: "I do bet, but only with myself. After picking the winners for the day I make a bet on a slip of paper and put it in my pocket. When the races are over I compare my selections with the real winners and then figure how I stand."

"How do you stand now?" inquired the magistrate.

"Two thousand ahead of the game," LeRoy replied.

"I'll admit that's the only safe way of playing the ponies," said the bench. "I'll hold you in \$500 bail so you can tell the same story to the judges in special sessions."

WERNER, NORTH DAKOTA, HAS STATE CREAMERY

BISMARCK, N. D., June 21. (By International News Service.)—Under authority established by law, the state of North Dakota has embarked in the creamery business by leasing a plant at Werner, which will be operated on a co-operative basis under the direction of the commissioner of agriculture and labor.

Dairy Commissioner J. J. Osterhaus is establishing three cream stations for the collection of cream for the plant in Mercer and Dunn counties. Farmers will be paid the market price for their cream, and at the end of each season the profits will be prorated back to them on the basis of the cream supplied.

Though this is widely regarded as a grain state, the dairy industry is proving to be a tremendous stride. Last year, according to Commissioner Osterhaus' official report, the dairy industry represented a value of more than \$20,000,000 for the producers. Of this sum more than \$40,000,000 was in marketed butter fat.

GRASSHOPPER SCOURGE THREATENS KANSAS

ASHLAND, Kan., June 21. (By International News Service.)—This section of Kansas and Northern Oklahoma are facing a grasshopper scourge. While the "hoppers" so far have done but little damage, farmers are daily becoming more alarmed due to their rapidly increasing numbers. Wheat in this vicinity was badly damaged by the pest last year. In one portion of South Clark county, 12 miles from here, the grasshoppers are reported as literally covering the ground.

DIES AT 103.

COUNCIL GROVE, Kan., June 21. (By International News Service.)—Mrs. Margaret Patton, Morris county's oldest resident, was claimed by the Grim Reaper here the other morning. She was found dead by her daughter, Mrs. Anna Hamer, with whom she made her home. Had she lived three months longer, Mrs. Patton would have been 103 years old.

START HARVESTING OF 'MIRACLE' WHEAT

HOBBART, Okla., June 21. (By International News Service.)—The 1920 harvest season has opened in this vicinity. The cutting of 40 acres of "miracle" wheat began near here the other day. "Miracle" wheat, recently introduced in this section, ripens two weeks before other varieties.

REDSKIN BREAKS OLD TRADITION; ENDS LIFE

OKTAHA, Okla., June 21. (By International News Service.)—A record was broken here the other afternoon when Jeff Oliver, 30, a full-blooded Indian, ended his life by hanging.

According to Indian agency officials, this is the first instance ever recorded wherein an Indian indulged in the act of self-destruction.

LANDS A CUB WOLF WITH FISHING LINE

WARRENSBURG, Mo., June 21. (By International News Service.)—Landing a cub wolf with a fishing line was the unique experience of Frank Carpenter, of this place, a few days ago.

After spending an hour angling for the finny tribe with good results, Carpenter decided to go to camp, meanwhile laying the baited line on the bank of the stream.

When he returned to resume his fishing, Carpenter found the cub writhing on the ground with the fish hook securely fastened in its upper lip.

COUNTY JAIL EMPTY.

BELLEVILLE, Kan., June 21. (By International News Service.)—The county jail here is an empty human cage. Not a single prisoner now looks through its barred windows. The jail, which has been facing a prisoner shortage for some weeks, was entirely deserted the other day when its single remaining occupant was taken to the state penitentiary.

CORINTH CLAIMS 5,132 PERSONS IN RECOUNT

CORINTH, Miss., June 21. (Spt.)—According to the recount of the city recently made by the chamber of commerce in an attempt to get new cen-

sus figures in the records at Washington, the population of Corinth is 5,132. A protest was entered with the census department when the January count showed less than was known 10 years ago, and this count by the chamber of commerce was in response and according to the suggestions of the director of the census.

6% First Mortgage Bonds

CARRYING every feature of a sound investment, and secured by first mortgage on Memphis property. Provision made for you to see the property securing your bonds.

BUY THEM—THEY ARE SAFE

Chas. J. Haase, Irvin F. Bendorf, S. Russell Martin.

MARX & BENS DORF INVESTMENT BANKERS

152 Madison Ave.

Estab. 1868.

Winfrey Quality Winfrey Prices Winfrey Service

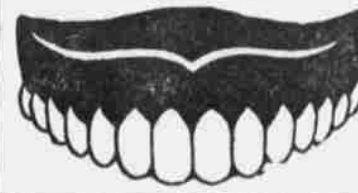
The Following Prices Good Until Further Notice

GOLD CROWNS



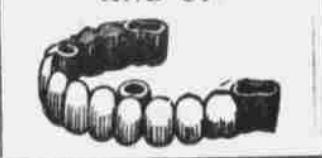
SET OF TEETH

(Winfrey Quality) Either Upper or Lower \$10 and up



BRIDGE WORK

(Winfrey Quality) Per Tooth \$5 AND UP



DR. C. C. WINFREY

Dr. G. J. Eisman Associate
Dr. E. Y. Napier Dentist

DENTIST
86 UNION AVE.
Corner Main, Over Drug Store.

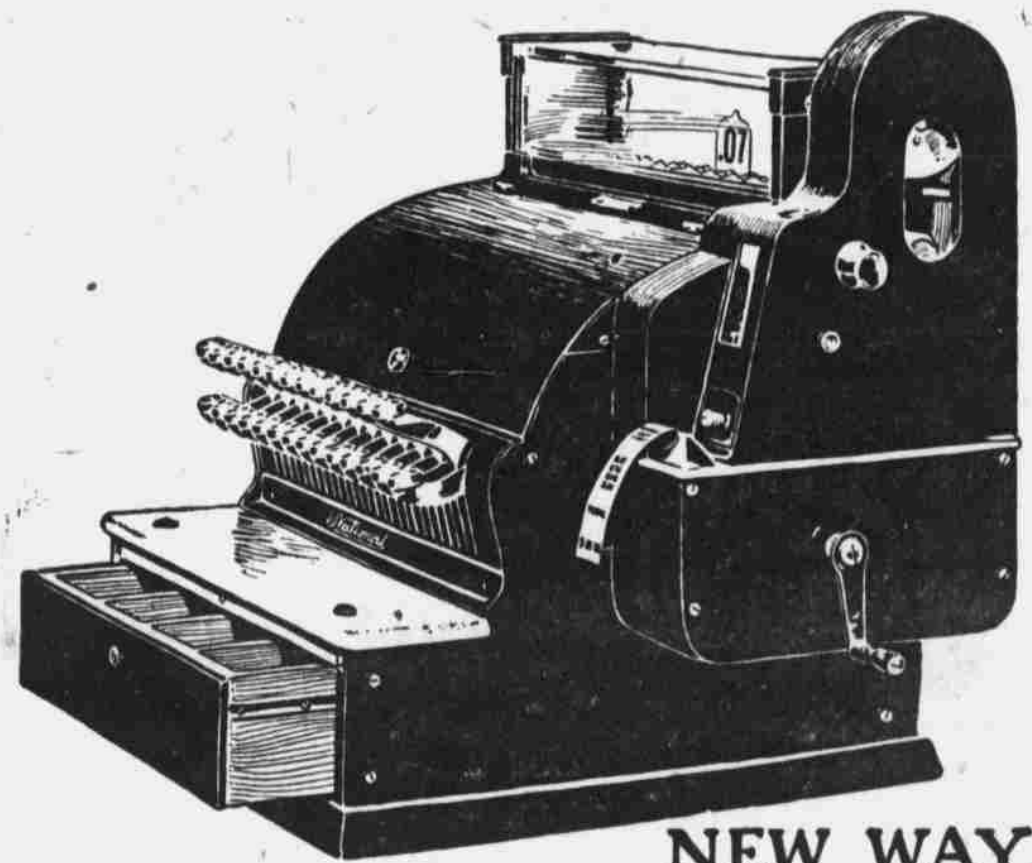
Office Hours:
8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Sundays 9 a.m. to 12 m.

No more mistakes in adding up the items of a sale



OLD WAY

By hand and brain and pencil.
Makes mistakes.
Causes losses.
Causes worry.



NEW WAY

This new receipt-printing cash register adds the items by machinery.

- ① It prints a receipt for each customer.
- ② It indicates the price of each article.
- ③ It prints the price of each article.
- ④ It prints the total of all items.
- ⑤ It retains an added and printed record.

J. SMITH
COMPANY
10 MAIN ST.

0.07
0.32
0.48
0.19

TOTAL
\$01.06

Copy of receipt, with merchant's name, printed for each customer.

It also does many other things which have made National Cash Registers a business necessity.

Let us explain how this new register helps merchants, clerks, and customers.

J. R. Boorman, Branch Manager, 70 North Second Street, Memphis

Old registers bought, sold, repaired, and exchanged.
Easy payments. Liberal allowance for old registers.

We make cash registers for every line of business
NATIONAL CASH REGISTER CO.



Carey ASFAITSLATE SHINGLES

CAREY shingles are so long lasting and beautiful that they are used on the finest churches, residences and public buildings.

They cost so much less to buy, lay and maintain, and they give so many more years of wear per dollar of cost that they are used on inexpensive buildings as well.

They do not rot, the nail heads that fasten them do not rust off, they do not dry out, curl or split, ice action does not cause them to chip, wind does not loosen them.

This is because the body of the shingle is made of wool felt saturated and built up with Carey tempered asphalt which protects the nail heads and makes the shingle elastic, flexible and permanently water-proof.

Carey Shingles meet the requirements of building laws and fire underwriters. They are surfaced with crushed slate which is spark-proof.

They are offered in red or green shades—the natural fadeless slate colors. They require no paint to keep them permanently beautiful. Place your order early.

ASPHALT ASBESTOS MAGNESIA
A Roof for Every Building

Fischer Lime & Cement Company
Memphis Tennessee

Fischer Cement & Roofing Co. Little Rock, Arkansas